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A Speed and Safety!  
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Place Day Coaches!  
through Car System!  
Track & Steel Rails!  
TOLEDO,  
SH &  
WESTERN  
WAY,  
Fast & Free Fast Line  
Long Terminal at  
Quincy, Hannibal,  
Keokuk, Pittsburg,  
Bloomington, and Peoria.  
Pullman Sleeping and Day  
entire Line. Also running  
to Toledo, Kansas City, and  
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Lancet, Jacksonville, Chapin  
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JAMES.  
LOCK HOSPITAL,  
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STREETS,  
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Chartered by the State for  
the purpose of  
giving the best  
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and all necessary information  
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EHRHART,  
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Painter!

**RUFUS C. CROCKER**  
No. 9 WATER ST.  
—SELLS THE—  
**THE REVOLUTION**  
SELF FEEDING  
BASE BURNING  
GAS  
CONSUMING  
PARLOR STOVE  
FOR  
BITUMINOUS COAL.  
WARRANTED TO GIVE  
ENTIRE  
SATISFACTION  
—ALSO THE—  
**ROTARY!**  
Which are positively the TWO BEST SORT  
OF GAS BURNERS in the market.  
—ALSO THE—  
**"GOOD RECORD"**  
Which has not only a good but absolutely  
the best record as a hard coal burner  
of anything in the market.  
It has also a full and complete line of  
**HEATING**  
—AND—  
**COOKING STOVES!**  
Hardware,  
Nails, Glass,  
Etc., Etc.  
**CHEAP FOR CASH.**  
Sept. 21, 1875—dwtf.

**Warren & Durfee**  
Abstracts of Title  
INSURANCE,  
REAL ESTATE  
Conveyancing Office.  
300  
TOWN LOTS!  
FOR SALE,  
ON EASY TERMS.  
October 26, 1874—d.  
REVOLUTION  
CHAIN PUMPS!  
THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD RESPECT-  
fully announce to the citizens of Decatur  
and Mason and adjoining counties, that  
he has secured the EXCLUSIVE RIGHT to  
MANUFACTURE AND SELL  
**MERRILL & BARTLETT'S**  
Water-Purifying  
Rubber Bucket Chain Pump,  
And is prepared to furnish said Chain  
Pumps on short notice.  
The advantages of this Pump over many  
others are many. The Chain being built  
of iron, it is much lighter, consequently it is  
not liable to break, and works much easier.  
The RUBBER BUCKETS which are attached  
to the Chain will not wear the Tubing,  
consequently it will last longer than when  
Metal Buckets are used. It is positive  
ANTI-FREEZING. It is a positive WATER  
PUMP, as each Bucket is connected  
with an AIR CUMBER, which carries a  
given quantity of pure air into the water,  
which immediately rises through the en-  
tire body of water, purifying and cleaning,  
and rendering it fit for use.  
**A. A. MURRAY.**  
N. B. County Rights for Sale on reason-  
able terms.  
**R. B. GRUELLE,**  
PORTRAIT PAINTER!  
HAY PRESS  
FOR SALE.  
THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS FOR SALE  
a second-hand Hay Press, in good  
running order, at a very low price. It can be  
seen at our lumber yard on East Central  
Gondro street.  
STARE & BRO.  
Decatur, June 15, 1875—wsm

# Decatur Daily Republican.

POST OFFICE HOURS.  
Office open at 7 A. M.; closed at 8 P. M.  
Mails Order and Registering office open  
from 7:30 A. M. to 7 P. M.  
MAILS CLOSE  
For Terre Haute on Ill. M. R. R. 5:50 A. M.  
West and St. Louis, on T. W. 5:45 A. M.  
East and Chicago, on T. W. & W. 1:30 A. M.  
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MAILS ARRIVE  
From South and St. Louis, on T. W. 5:45 A. M.  
Lafayette, on T. W. & W. 5:45 A. M.  
Peoria, on Ill. M. R. R. 5:45 A. M.  
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Decatur, Ill., May 1, 1876.

**No Superiority In Justice.**  
[Ingalls' Chicago Speech.]  
No man ever was, no man ever will be,  
the superior of the man he robs.  
No man ever was, no man ever will be,  
the superior of the man he steals from.  
I had rather be a slave than a slave-  
master. I had rather be stolen from  
than be a thief. I had rather be  
wronged than a wrong doer. And allow  
me to say again, to impress it forever  
upon every man that hears, you are  
always the inferior of the man you rob.  
Any race is inferior to the race it  
tramples upon and robs [Cheers]  
There never was a man that could  
trample upon human rights and be-  
trample upon the man upon whom he trampled.  
And let me say another thing.  
No government can stand founded upon  
the crushed rights of simply one human  
being, and any compromise that we  
make with the South, if we make it at  
the expense of our friends, will carry  
in its bosom all the seeds of its own  
death and destruction, and cannot  
stand. A government founded upon  
anything except liberty and justice, can-  
not and ought not to stand. All the  
weeks on either side the stream of  
time, all the weeks of the great cities  
and all the nations that have passed  
away—are all a warning that no nation  
founded upon injustice can stand. From  
sandy and enshrouded Egypt, from the  
wilderness of Athens, from every  
fallen, crumbling stone of the once  
mighty Rome comes a wall, as it were,  
the cry that no nation founded upon  
injustice can permanently stand.  
[Cheers.] We must fight this nation  
as it were anew. We must fight our  
fight. We must cling to our own party  
until there is freedom of speech over  
every part of the United States. We  
must cling to the old party until I can  
speak in every state of the South as  
every Southerner can speak in every  
State of the North. [Applause, and a  
voice, "that's good."] We must vote the  
grand old Republican ticket until there  
is the same liberty in every Southern  
State that there is in every Northern,  
Eastern and Western State. We must  
stand by the party until every Southern  
man will admit that this country be-  
longe to every citizen of the United  
States as much as to the man that is  
born in that country.

**GET RELIABLE INFORMATION.**  
We would advise all persons who are  
contemplating a trip to the West, either  
for pleasure or for permanent settlement,  
to first select the BEST and MOST DIRECT  
ROUTE. Now the fact that the Old  
Reliable Hannibal & St. Joseph Railroad  
and connections, form THE ONLY LINE  
RUNNING THROUGH FULLY SLEEPING  
CARS AND DAY COACHES from Cleveland  
and Toledo via the T. W. & W. R. Ry.  
and from Chicago via the C. B. & Q.  
R. Ry. via Quincy to St. Joseph, Atch-  
inson and Kansas City, WITHOUT CHANG-  
ing, making direct connections at these  
points with all trains for the West and  
South, should satisfy every one that this  
is THE ROUTE. Should you desire a map  
of this line, or any information regard-  
ing time or rates, the same will be gladly  
furnished upon application, either by  
letter or in person, to T. PENFIELD,  
General Pass. and Ticket Agent, Han-  
nibal, Missouri. [Feb 24 dtf]

**DAVIS' NURSERY.**  
Has now ready for spring delivery 300,000  
Apple Trees, 10,000 Evergreens, 20,000  
Shade Trees; also, hundreds of Cherry,  
Pear, Peach and Plum Trees, Grape  
Roots, &c. Order at once. Anything  
in the nursery line—will set and insure  
this spring, if wanted. Prices and cat-  
alogues on application to  
H. W. DAVIS,  
Box 141, Decatur, Ill.

**How He Was Going To The Cen-  
tennial.**  
These colored residents of Raleigh  
who were talking of an excursion to the  
Centennial have about given up the  
subject. The idea originated with a  
gray-haired "uncle" who didn't expect  
to live another hundred years, and who,  
it turned out, had a private axe to  
grind. He planned the circus on the co-  
operative principle. To a crowd of  
friends he explained:  
"I reckon the expense at \$50. Fifty of  
us will flow in \$1 each, an' I will go  
down there. When I get back we will  
flow in another dollar 'round 'an' de  
next man go in 'an' we'll keep the  
system goin' till de hull caboodle hez  
bin down there."  
The idea took at once and was freely  
talked over, but was knocked in the head  
at a second meeting by a brother asking:  
"Uncle Ike, how long does you expect to  
be to be gone?"  
"Only two weeks," he replied; "each  
one will be gone just two weeks."  
"If that's fifty of us 'an' each one is  
gone two weeks, what part of the show  
will de last man see?" was the blunt  
query.  
Uncle Ike tried to convince them that  
dates and figures were made for more  
convenience sake, and the crowd  
thinned out so rapidly that he was soon  
left alone. When he had seen the last  
man turn the corner, he sighed and  
sigh and muttered:  
"I guess I'll have to go without dat  
razor for another year. Dese here nig-  
gers seem like dey had 'n' genius."  
Raleigh Sentinel.

**Her Feet.**  
"George, my darling George, promise  
me one thing," said the young bride of  
a month, as she threw her arms around  
her husband's neck and gazed anxiously  
into his face. "What is it, precious?"  
he asked, as he drew her to his bosom.  
"Promise me, George, dear, that you  
will not become a Presidential candi-  
date."  
"Why, my dear, that is making a good  
deal," and his countenance darkened.  
"There are Jones, Smith, Brown, and,  
in fact, all the best people—they are  
candidates. You want me to be some-  
body, don't you?"  
"Yes, yes, George, I do, I do," said  
the wife, bursting into tears; "but all  
the newspapers will tell how big my  
feet are, and you know folks never  
think that anybody's feet may be good  
shaped if they are large."  
Madame Foy's Skirt-supporting  
Corsets, Moody's Abdominal Corsets,  
and Bortree's Adjustable Duplex Cor-  
sets, very cheap.  
LINN & SCRUGGS.

**Black Silks**  
Reduced Rates—The St. Nicholas  
omnibus and carriage line will, from  
and after this date, carry passengers to  
and from the depot or to any part of the  
city for Twenty-five cents. Leave your  
orders at the office of the line for either  
bus or carriage. Only 25 cents.  
26 dtf  
LAUX & BRO.

**At Last!**  
A Long Needed Want Supplied.  
**E. B. PRATT'S**  
Grocery Store, No. 27 North Church  
street, where may be found Glass and  
Quenware, Chickens, Fresh Meat,  
Bread, Cakes, Butter, Cheese, Milk,  
Eggs, and Fruits of all kinds. Grain by  
the bushel or load. Wood by the cord  
delivered to any part of the city  
Aug. 23—d&wsm

**500 Pairs Old Dominion Buck  
Gloves, Mitts and Gauntlets, for ladies  
and gents—the best and cheapest in  
America. And as parties D. C. and  
Maroon are selling inferior gloves,  
which they falsely represent as the "Old  
Dominion Buck Gloves," we caution  
the public against the fraud, as we con-  
trol the entire production, and none are  
genuine that are not stamped with the  
name of "Geo. H. Ott" on the inside.  
Oct 17 dtf  
LINN & SCRUGGS.**

**Kress Fever and Ague Tonic.**—War-  
ranted to cure any case of ague perma-  
nently, or we will refund your money.  
A box of liver pills free with each bot-  
tle. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen.  
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**500 Business Cassimere Suits, from  
\$3.50 up to \$25.00, just received at  
B. Stine's Clothing Store.  
oc3-deed tmo**

**BOYS' AND GIRLS' SCHOOL**  
BOOTS AND SHOES just received, in  
great variety, and at extremely low  
prices, at  
**L. L. FERRISS'.**  
Sept 5 dtf  
Elegant new styles Hoopskirts and  
Panties, especially adapted to the pre-  
sent style of cloaks and other garments,  
at Linn & Scruggs. [Oct 19—d&wtf]

**Keep's Patent Made Shirts,**  
\$1.00, and the Manhattan shirt, made  
complete, \$1.25—the best and cheapest  
shirts in the market, at  
LINN & SCRUGGS.  
June 24 dtf

**A Party wishes to exchange dry good  
for good land with good railroad com-  
munications, and near Decatur Illinois  
preferred. Address Post Office box 162,  
Decatur Illinois, with full description of  
land.**  
d&wsmo

**Mrs. C. J. Dawkins, having recovered  
from a brief illness, is now prepared to  
receive all orders for dress and cloak-  
making; also prompt attention to fitting  
children's wear, patterns, etc. No. 10  
Merchant street, over Gehrmann's dry  
goods establishment, right side of the  
hall.**  
oc17-11

**Patents procured by L. P. Graham, at  
32 West Wood street. [July 31 dtf]**  
Gent's Underwear, in all grades and  
qualities, at B. Stine's. oc-deed tmo

**Madame Demorel's Fall and  
Winter Patterns—the only reliable pat-  
terns—at  
LINN & SCRUGGS.  
Oct 19—d&wtf**

**A CARD.**  
FOR THE INFORMATION OF MY HOSTS  
of friends and former customers, I  
would state that I may at all times be found  
at the large stores of Mr. B. Liddle, Nos. 1  
and 2 Court House Block, and shall be  
glad to supply to see them all, and show them  
the largest stock of new and desirable goods  
over offered for sale in Decatur, all of which  
are to be sold at a great reduction from last  
year's prices—Heating and Cooking Stoves,  
House Furnishing articles, Queensware,  
China, Glass Goods, Lamps, and an endless  
variety of useful and ornamental novelties for  
the household.  
Don't fail to call and see me, and I will  
give you bargains. Very Respectfully,  
Oct. 15—d&wsm  
FRANK J. TAYLOR.

**DR. C. M. McLANE'S**  
Celebrated American  
WORM SPECIFIC  
—OR—  
**VERMIFUGE.**

**SYMPTOMS OF WORMS.**  
THE countenance is pale and leaden-  
colored, with occasional flushes, or a  
circumscribed spot on one or both  
cheeks; the eyes become dull; the pupils  
dilate; an azure semicircle runs along  
the lower eye-lid; the nose is irritated,  
swells, and sometimes bleeds; a swell-  
ing of the upper lip; occasional head-  
ache, with humming or throbbing of  
the ears; an unusual secretion of saliva;  
slimy or furred tongue; breath very  
foul, particularly in the morning; ap-  
petite variable, sometimes voracious,  
with a gnawing sensation of the stomach;  
at others, entirely gone; fleeting pains  
in the stomach; occasional nausea and  
vomiting; violent pains throughout the  
abdomen; bowels irregular, at times  
costive; stools slimy; not unfrequently  
tinged with blood; belly swollen and  
hard; urine turbid; respiration occa-  
sionally difficult, and accompanied by  
hiccough; cough sometimes dry and  
convulsive; uneasy and disturbed sleep,  
with grinding of the teeth; temper  
variable, but generally irritable, &c.

Whenever the above symptoms  
are found to exist,  
**DR. C. M. McLANE'S VERMIFUGE**  
Will certainly effect a cure.  
IT DOES NOT CONTAIN MERCURY  
in any form; it is an innocent prepa-  
ration, not capable of doing the slightest  
injury to the most tender infant.  
The genuine DR. McLANE'S VERMI-  
FUGE bears the signatures of C. McLANE  
and FLEMING BROS. on the wrapper.

**DR. C. M. McLANE'S**  
**LIVER PILLS.**  
These Pills are not recommended as  
a remedy for "all the ills that flesh is  
heir to," but in affections of the Liver,  
and in all Bilious Complaints, Dyspepsia  
and Sick Headache, or diseases of that  
character, they stand without a rival.  
**AGUE AND FEVER.**  
No better cathartic can be used pre-  
paratory to, or after taking Quinine.  
As a simple purgative they are an-  
equired.  
**Beware of Imitations.**  
The genuine are never sugar coated.  
Each box has a red wax seal on the  
lid, with the impression DR. McLANE'S  
LIVER PILLS.  
Each wrapper bears the signatures of  
C. McLANE and FLEMING BROS.  
Sold by all respectable druggists and  
country storekeepers generally.

**J. R. Race & Co's**  
FALL & WINTER CLOTHING  
An Elegant New Stock Just Received.  
BEST SUIT OF CLOTHES IN AMERICA  
FOR THE MONEY, \$7 to \$10.  
NEW STOCK OF CASSIMERES.  
Special Bargains in  
HATS AND GLOVES.  
CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER AND FITS WARRANTED.  
Oct. 25, 1876—d&wtf

**WABASH FAST MAIL ROUTE**  
Now controls and operates the following  
Lines:  
Toledo to St. Louis.....434 Miles  
Toledo to Hannibal.....463 Miles  
Toledo to Quincy.....474 Miles  
Toledo to Keokuk.....489 Miles  
Toledo to Peoria.....490 Miles  
Toledo to Bloomington.....521 Miles  
Connecting in Union Depots at  
Saint Louis, Hannibal,  
Quincy, Keokuk,  
PEORIA AND BLOOMINGTON,  
To and from all Points in  
Illinois, Missouri, Arkansas,  
Kansas, Texas, Nebraska,  
Colorado and California,  
And forming the Leading Throughroute be-  
tween the Missouri and Mississippi Valleys  
and New York, Boston, and all other points  
travel by New England, enabling passengers who  
"WABASH FAST LINE"  
to reach the principal cities in the East and  
West many hours in advance of other lines.  
No change of cars between Hannibal and  
St. Joseph and Atchison (300 miles), and be-  
tween Toledo and Kansas City (500 miles).  
All Express Trains of this line are fully  
equipped with Pullman's Palace Sleeping  
Cars, Westinghouse's Latest Improved Air  
Brake, and Miller's Platform and Coupler,  
insuring a serious accident almost impos-  
sible.

**THROUGH TIME BY THE  
W.B. & W.  
ROUTE.  
EASTWARD.**

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
St. Louis	12:00 p.m.	12:00 p.m.	12:00 p.m.
Hannibal	1:45 p.m.	1:45 p.m.	1:45 p.m.
Quincy	3:30 p.m.	3:30 p.m.	3:30 p.m.
Keokuk	5:15 p.m.	5:15 p.m.	5:15 p.m.
Peoria	7:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
Bloomington	8:45 p.m.	8:45 p.m.	8:45 p.m.
St. Louis	10:30 p.m.	10:30 p.m.	10:30 p.m.

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**ILLINOIS MIDLAND R.R.**  
On and after Monday, June 26, trains will  
arrive and leave as follows:  
GOING EAST.  
Mixed leaves at.....7:00 a.m.  
Express leaves at.....7:30 a.m.  
Mixed arrives at.....12:30 p.m.  
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**A. ROBERTSON SMALL, M. D.**  
Office, 101 N. Main street, over Ab-  
el's shoe store.  
DECATUR, ILLINOIS  
Special attention given to Obster-  
trical and gynecological diseases  
of women and children  
Office hours: 10 to 12 a.m.  
2 to 4 p.m.  
7 to 9 p.m.  
Sept. 26, 1876—d&wsm

**MAXWELL & WALKER,**  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW AND NOTARY  
Public. Deals, mortgages and all kinds  
of contracts written. Is his regulated at  
plus per cent. interest on loans property in  
Mason and Union counties. All waiting  
business will see him. Office, over drug  
east of the post office, over Kuhn's store  
Sept. 16, 1876—d&wtf

**R. C. Dawkins, D. D. S.**  
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.  
Office over Rucker, Hammer & Co's  
Bank.  
Sept. 16, 1876—d&wtf

**J. M. MILLER,**  
DENTIST,  
DECATUR, ILL.  
Rooms over Riddle's shoe store, Post  
Office block.  
May 15, 1876—d&wtf

**GR. R. L. WALSTON**  
He has resumed the general practice of medi-  
cine, and is now attending to all kinds  
of professional business day or night, in the  
city or country. Office, over the  
Kendrick-Over North Main street, first  
door east of the Christian church.  
Decatur, May 3, 1876—d&wtf

**D. L. BURN** EDWIN PARK.  
**BURN & PARK**  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.  
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.  
OFFICE—No. 14 East Main Street—Up  
stairs.  
April, 1876 dtf

**BROWN & TAIT,**  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW.  
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.  
Office, 22 North Water street, over Ken-  
ton's Clothing store. Call on us and all  
legal business promptly attended to.  
July 11—d&wtf

**P. B. Sparks, M. D.**  
HOMEOPATHIST.  
Decatur, Illinois, over the Post Office.  
All calls promptly responded to in  
the city or country, night or day. Resi-  
dence, No. 40 West Wood street.  
August 15, 1876—dtf

**Dr. A. S. Waltz,**  
DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office, over Bar-  
ber & Co's shoe store, East Main street.  
June 15, 1876—d&wtf

**J. Stebbins King, M. D.,**  
FORMERLY resident physician St. John's  
Hospital, in Chicago, Illinois, Ohio,  
late of United States Army; Surgeon in  
charge of Mississippi State Hospital, and  
general practice, Decatur, Ill.  
OFFICE—In Post Office Block, entrance  
Reading Room stairs, Decatur, Illinois.  
Residence, No. 40 North Main street,  
Jan. 17, 1876—d&wtf

**T. S. HOSKINS,**  
DENTIST!  
Offers his professional services to the peo-  
ple of Decatur and vicinity. Work guaran-  
teed of the best quality.  
OFFICE—Over Heidmann's grocery store,  
mercantile street, Decatur, Ill.  
May 28, 1876—d&wtf

**Dr. IRA B. CURTIS**  
RESPECTFULLY informs the citizens of  
Decatur and Macon county that he has  
located in Decatur, Illinois, and will make  
the eye and ear specialties, and will make  
all kinds of surgical operations. Private con-  
sultation room attached to office.  
OFFICE—Over the Post Office, North Main  
street, marble building, North Main street,  
Decatur, Ill. (Nov 26—d&wsm)

**HARVEY PASCO,**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY  
Public, solicitor of Collections, Bank-  
ruptcies and all legal business. Office, over  
Hoskins' shoe store, East Main street.  
Special attention given to Bankrupt-  
cies and general collecting business.  
June 1, 1876—d&wtf











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STEE'S SALE.

John S. Tugger and Jennie

of the County of Macon, State

of Illinois, do hereby certify

that the within and foregoing

is a true and correct copy

of the original as the same

is on file in our office.

Witness my hand and seal

this 14th day of September,

1876.

WM. L. HAMMER, Trustee

of the County of Macon, State

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:  
Saturday Evening, October 28

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce the name  
of J. A. B. LITTLE as an independent  
candidate for Sheriff of Macon county.

J. Miel's Boquet Cigars, 2 for 15 cts  
Persimmons, New Figs, Fresh Dates,  
California Pears, Butter Scotch, new  
Chestnuts, Wilmington Peanuts, at  
Aristocratic Peanut Stand.  
oct25-dlw

BILLS & POSTER

## CITY DEPARTMENT

A great variety of Brackets at the  
49-Cent Store [oct20-dit  
The best white shirt in the market,  
at B. STINE'S. oct20-dit

Found.—A dark colored coat nearly  
new, which the owner can have by ap-  
plying to John Brockway, Deputy Mar-  
shal, and paying for this notice.

Remember the Republican rally at  
the court house to-night.

To and hear the Hon. Lawrence  
Weldon at the court house to-night.

All the table luxuries of the season  
may be found at Billy Niedermeyer's,  
on West Main street.

If you want jewelry of superior  
quality at a very low figure call on H.  
Post.

Now is the time to get your winter  
supply of boots and shoes while J. P.  
Marsh is selling at cost.

Dr. J. S. Lland's Hepatocan now  
stands in the front rank as an acute cure.  
All druggists sell it.

Cranberries and other fruits, fresh  
and nice, at Imboden's.

The best five cent cigars in the city  
at Niedermeyer's, near the mound.

Choice peach bob potatoes at New-  
ell & Hammer's.

Beardre & Co. have a full supply of  
choice family groceries and provisions.

All kinds of fresh candles manufac-  
tured daily at J. J. Drake's, Opera  
Block. oct20-dit

A sentimental editor who prevails  
to a large extent in the vicinity of Joliet,  
speaking of a woman's hand, says:

"How beautifully moulded, how fault-  
less in symmetry, how soft and white  
and yielding, and how much of gentle  
memory its pressure conveys." It does  
not strike us in that way, however. We  
haven't any recollection of the gentle  
pressure alluded to. The editor evidently  
has a woman's hand on the brain, while  
we used to get ours on just as tender a  
place, but it wasn't the brain. We never  
thought that hand was "beautifully  
moulded." It wasn't still long enough  
to accumulate mould.

A worthy old lady, whose soul has not  
been tainted with the allurements and  
deceitfulness of the modern bustle,  
walked into a Decatur dry goods store  
one day last week, and taking up one  
of those semi-labors which are a conspicu-  
ous portion of the outfit of every fash-  
ionably dressed feminine of the present  
day, remarked with her honest old face  
beaming all over with commendation:

"Well now! I declare! There is the  
most sensible bonnet I've seen for many  
a day." Every clerk within hearing  
immediately dove under the counter to  
look for pins.

The old Hebrew prophecies were  
full of types and symbols, representing  
spiritual facts by physical changes and  
phenomena. When Isaiah had a vision  
of sins, deep as purple, being washed  
white as wool, he had a realizing pre-  
monition of the magical properties of  
B. T. Babbitt's Best Soap. "Coming  
events cast their shadows before."

Warm meals and lunch served at  
all hours at J. J. Drake's Opera Block  
Restaurant. oct20-dit

Don't forget to register next Tues-  
day. It is the last chance.

"Sly Sammy" is getting badly scar-  
ed. Having to a certain extent broken  
faith with both Democrats and In-  
dependents, they are alike suspicious of  
the artful dodger, and he is just getting  
his eyes open to the facts of the situation.

Democratic platforms are plenty in  
town to-day.

Hon. A. B. Bunn spoke at Park last  
night to an immense crowd. There was  
a splendid torchlight procession, in  
which was a large wagon carrying a  
number of young ladies corresponding  
to the number of States, and another  
carrying the same number of misses.  
The utmost enthusiasm prevailed, and  
the meeting will be fruitful of good  
results.

Going West.—Mr. Jesse W. Barnes,  
of Harrison, has advertised his prop-  
erty for sale with a view to removing  
to Kansas. We are sorry to lose  
Mr. Barnes from the county. He is  
one of our enterprising, successful  
farmers, and we would much like to  
retain him among us; but if he thinks  
that his interest leads him elsewhere, we  
cordially bid him Godspeed, and wish  
him all success in his new home. What  
we lose Kansas will gain.

Some of our people think of going  
to Mattoon on Monday to hear Inger-  
soll and the other big guns who are to  
speak there on that day.

As the work of travelling Water-  
street progresses it commends itself  
more and more to the favor of the  
people. The gravel is packed about as  
fast as it is laid, and the matter of extending  
the work still further is being vigorously  
talked up by our business men. We  
doubt not that money could be raised by  
private subscription to further the good  
work.

THE DEMOCRATIC MEETING  
YESTERDAY.

## A Failure in the Afternoon.

The Evening Session Made Up of  
a Mob of Boys.

LARGE CROWD AT THE COURT  
HOUSE.

Speeches by Julian, Rodman and Wren-  
ding.

Our account of the Democratic mass  
meeting of yesterday closed in our issue  
with the opening of Capt. Townsend's  
speech at the Court House. What was  
done up to that hour is stated in detail  
in yesterday's paper and need not be  
repeated here.

The speech of the Captain was devo-  
ted to the consideration of the currency  
question, in which he claimed to be  
thoroughly versed, having made it a  
study for years. The speaker reviewed  
the history of our currency for the last  
fifty years, speaking of the different  
systems which had been adopted from  
time to time, and claiming to point out  
their defects; but as to suggesting any  
plan that anybody could understand  
which would improve the finances of  
the country, the speech was a complete  
failure. While professing to discuss the  
finance question, he took occasion to  
step aside often to throw mud at Hon.  
Jos. G. Cannon, who knows more about  
finances in a minute than the contracted  
mind of the speaker could take in from  
the study of a life time.

By actual count, there were about  
three hundred people in the hall at one  
time; and reckoning the comers and  
goers, there were probably four hundred  
people in the house in the course of the  
afternoon.

But the grand display of patriotism  
and eloquence was reserved for the eve-  
ning. It had been given out that there  
would be a grand torchlight procession  
in the evening, and the streets were  
alive with people to witness the dis-  
play. So far as the procession was  
concerned, there were, by actual count,  
two hundred and fifty torches in line,  
which were borne principally by boys  
from ten to eighteen years of age, and  
such a noisy, disorderly mob has never  
before been seen in the streets of Decatur.

Lamps were carried in all sorts of  
ways, while every now and then one was  
dashed to the ground, to be kicked about  
by the boys. After marching about  
town for awhile, the mob (we  
cannot call it a procession) came around  
to the Court House, where the scene  
was one that beggars description.

Lamps were dashed to the ground and  
kicked about like foot-balls, and the  
howling and screaming would have  
been a disgrace to pandemonium. For a  
half hour or more this noise and confu-  
sion was kept up, but after awhile the  
they so far subsided that speaking in  
the Court House could proceed.

The first speaker of the evening was  
George W. Julian, of Indiana, who was  
honored by the Republicans of that  
State with a seat in Congress until he  
ran the majority in his district down  
from six thousand to six—the last figure  
indicating his majority on the occasion  
of his last election. In 1872 he went  
before the nominating convention of his  
district and failed of a nomination, and  
went out to become the sworn enemy of  
the Republican party, and since that  
time has gone about denouncing his old  
political associates and the party which  
made him all he ever was, and honored  
him until he caused its flag to trail in  
the dust. His speech last evening was  
simply a repetition of his assault upon  
other men, and had not in it a single  
argument from beginning to end. It was  
denounced by thinking, reasonable  
Democrats, as well as by Republicans,  
as being barren of argument, and sim-  
ply a bundle of scurrilous attacks.

Mr. Julian was followed by Mr. Rod-  
man, of Chicago, and Mr. Wendling,  
of Shelbyville, both of whom failed to  
make a single point that could be called  
an argument.

On the whole the meeting, from first  
to last, was considered a failure even by  
democrats themselves. To-day they are  
not at all inclined to talk about yester-  
day's doings.

Dead.—Mr. Leffingwell is in receipt  
of information from Mrs. Haynes, wife  
of Elder N. S. Haynes, now at Eureka,  
to the effect that her child died on  
Thursday night, and that Elder Haynes,  
who is absent in the east, had not yet  
arrived. As he is going from place to  
place it is supposed that the intelli-  
gence of the child's sickness had failed  
to reach him. The news will be sad  
indeed to the father when it reaches  
him. Mrs. H. had also received a no-  
tice from her father to the effect that  
her mother was lying at the point of  
death at their home in Edgar county,  
but of course as her own child was in a  
similar condition she could not leave to  
go to her mother. Thus it would seem  
that a heavy accumulation of trouble  
has come to her at once. Mr. and Mrs.  
H. will have the sincere sympathy of  
their congregation here, and of the  
community generally.

Fresh Bread, Cakes, Buns and Buns,  
at J. J. Drake's, Opera Block. [oct20-dit

Mrs. Moody's Abdominal Corset, Mad-  
am Poy's Supporter Corset, the Duplex  
Hip-Ducking Corset, the Champion and  
Grand Duchess Corset—French and  
American styles, at lower prices than  
any other house in the city, at  
May 2 & 3rd. GOLDSTINE'S.

Glassware cheaper than anybody,  
at the 49-Cent Store. oct20-dit

## THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

At the

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Mr. Imman, the pastor, will occupy  
the pulpit both morning and evening.  
The seats are free and a cordial in-  
vitation is extended to the public.

At the

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. Dr. Leaton, the pastor, will preach,  
and all are cordially invited.

STAFF'S CHAPEL.

Rev. Prof. Fry, of Wesleyan Univer-  
sity, Bloomington, will preach at this  
church, morning and evening.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH.

There will be services at this church  
to-morrow at the usual hours. Subject  
in the evening: "The School of Life."  
All are cordially invited to attend.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Wm. Loughbon has returned  
from his eastern trip by way of Michi-  
gan, having spent some time in visit-  
ing friends in the last-named state. He is  
accompanied by his father-in-law, Mr.  
P. Bronson, of Cass county, Michigan.

D. M. Barnett has concluded to "play  
it alone," and will always keep a full  
and complete assortment of groceries  
and provisions, which he will sell for  
cash as cheap as any house in the city.  
Call and see David; he will wait upon  
you politely and give you first-class  
goods.

To Come Back.—We are advised by  
Mr. Geo. P. Miller, who was formerly  
in the restaurant and confectionery busi-  
ness in this city, that he proposes to  
return and go into business again. He  
has secured a location, and will open  
out in a couple of weeks. George did  
a rushing business when he was here,  
and we presume will make a success of  
it this time.

Curtis & Righter's stock is the larg-  
est in the city, and their prices are the  
lowest. Don't fail to see their stock  
and learn their prices before you buy  
anything in their line. 3d

Hemp Carpets reduced from 16¢ cents  
to 12¢ cents a yard, at  
oct27-dit

LINN & SCRUGGS.

Republican Meeting at the Lincoln  
School House.—J. A. Brown, Esq., ad-  
dressed a large meeting at the Lincoln  
school house, in Blue Mound township,  
last night. Mr. B. held the attention of  
his audience from the first to the last,  
and the crowd went away well pleased  
with the speech.

Charter Oak Stoves are simple in  
construction, compact in shape; made of  
best materials; easily operated; economi-  
cal in fuel, and low priced, and the very  
perfection of cooking machines.

On Account of the hard times B.  
Stine, the clothier, has reduced the price  
of the Best Chinilla Overcoats, from  
\$20.00 to \$16.50. This article must be  
seen in order to be appreciated.  
oct 14-dit

New Invoice of Boots and  
Shoes, comprising all the latest fall  
styles, at V. Barber & Co.'s, where  
prices are down to hard-pan, and all  
goods are of the best quality. Persons  
wanting foot-gear will find this the place  
to buy. Come while the goods are fresh  
and new. Remember the place, second  
door east of the old square, on the south  
side of Main street. 25 oct1

40 Acres of Good Pasture for Rent.—  
About two miles northwest of Decatur,  
with running water. This pasture has  
had no stock on it this season, and is in  
excellent condition. For particulars  
apply at this office. [June 7d&wt

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best  
Specimens in the city, and sells them at  
a reasonable price. [sept 1-dim

Oysters served in any style at J. J.  
Drake's Restaurant, Opera Block. 9dct

An immense stock of Hais and Caps,  
in the latest styles, at bottom figures, on  
sale at B. STINE'S. oct20-dit

Wanted.—Second-hand Stoves, at  
sept18dwt

Underwear, for men, women and  
children, cheaper than the cheapest, at the  
49-Cent Store. oct20-dit

Is your eyesight failing?—Try the  
Reading Glasses for sale by Pike, the  
Jeweler. feb 7dct

Day Board.—First-class day board, at  
Drake's Restaurant, opera block.  
Oct. 13 dft

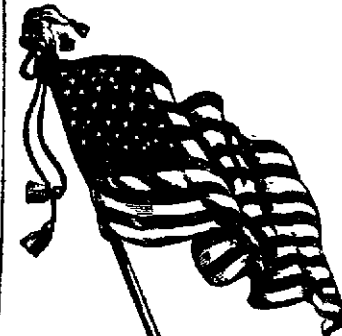
Hagan's Magnolia Balm preserves and  
restores the complexion; removes freck-  
les, tan and sallowness; makes the skin  
soft, white and delicate. Its application  
cannot be detected.  
March 10, 1876—deed wly

The Ladies will do well by subscrib-  
ing for the Domestic Monthly, which is  
\$1.00 a year, and a premium of one dol-  
lar's worth of patterns will be given to  
each subscriber, which will make the  
Monthly 50 cents only, at Goldburg's.  
May 2 dwt

For Sale.—A good frame dwelling  
with seven rooms, eight closets and  
pantries, cellar, well, cistern and other  
improvements. Lot 100 by 180 feet, well  
filled with bearing fruit trees and vines.  
Apply at this office. oct23-dit

The best stock of Jeans (pants) in the  
city, at B. Stine's. oct20-dit

## REPUBLICAN MEETINGS!



## NOT COMING.

A telegram has been received from  
Hon. Lawrence Weldon to the effect  
that he cannot possibly be here to night.  
There will therefore be no meeting at  
the court house.

Hon. A. B. Bunn and Hon. Shaw  
Pease will speak at Cerro Gordo, Tues-  
day evening, Oct. 31.

Hon. J. G. Cannon, candidate for  
Congress, will speak at Macon, Tuesday  
evening, Oct. 31.

Dr. J. Brown and W. C. Johns, Esq.,  
will speak at Oakley, Tuesday evening,  
Oct. 31; at Warrensburg, Thursday  
evening, Nov. 2d.

Hon. A. B. Bunn will speak at Macon,  
Thursday evening, Nov. 2d.

Dr. J. Brown and Capt. Abel will  
speak at Washington School House,  
Blue Mound township, Friday evening,  
Nov. 3d.

Hon. M. H. Chamberlain, of Cass  
county, will speak at the court house  
in Decatur, Tuesday evening, Oct. 31.

Opening of Winter Millinery, Thurs-  
day and Friday, Nov. 2d and 3d. La-  
dies are respectfully invited.

Oct. 27 dwt

Highly Complimentary.—The follow-  
ing reference to a former pastor of the  
First M. E. Church, which we clip from  
the Mattoon Gazette, will be read with  
interest by the many friends of Mr.  
Heath in this city. It will be remembered  
that at the late session of the Illinois  
conference, Mr. H. was assigned to the  
Mattoon M. E. Church as its pastor.

There is something solid and sensible  
about the appearance of the new Meth-  
odist Pastor, N. P. Heath, and we con-  
fess to a liking for his looks. Unless all  
signs fail, he nearly always says some-  
thing when he speaks.

Christian Church.—Elder S. M. Con-  
ner, Corresponding Secretary and State  
Evangelist of the Illinois Christian Mis-  
sionary Association, will occupy the  
pulpit of the Christian church in this  
city on Sunday next.

Logan & Co., at Harvey City, pay the  
highest prices for grain. Also furnish  
lumber in any quantity on short notice,  
and at very low prices.  
Aug 10 dsm

Prof. Leonard's dancing class every  
Tuesday and Friday evenings. No  
disreputable characters admitted.  
oct 14 dwt

Young Men will do well to spend their  
evenings in acquiring a good hand-  
writing at the Commercial Institute.  
oct24-dtd

Wanted, Horses to winter. Address  
P. O. box 65, Decatur.  
oct23 dwt

When you want your watch, clock or  
jewelry repaired, and want to have it  
done right, take it to Curtis & Righter.  
They do their own work, and warrant  
satisfaction, always. 3d

Youth's and Boys' Clothing in large  
variety, at B. Stine's Clothing Store.  
oct20-dit

No Use of going to Chicago or New  
York to have your clothes made. J. R.  
Race & Co. are prepared to make a suit  
in the highest style of the art.  
Aug10dft

Great Bargains in Jewelry at J. L.  
Knepper's, 24 Merchant street.  
Feb. 7d&wt.

Lyon's Kathairon makes beautiful,  
glossy, luxuriant hair; prevents falling  
out or turning gray. It has stood the  
test of 40 years. Is charmingly per-  
fumed, and has no rival.  
March 10, 1876—deed wly

## DIED.

Oct. 26th, at her late residence in Mt.  
Zion, Mrs. NANCY WHITEHOUSE, mother  
of John and William Whitehouse, aged  
75 years.

Deceased was an old resident of Macon  
county, and was highly respected by  
all who knew her.

Young Man, do you want a nobby  
suit? Mr. P. A. Schaub, with J. R.  
Race & Co., is the man to take your  
measure. Aug10dft

16 Yards Good Calico for \$1.00, 12  
yards bleached cotton for \$1.00; 12  
yards good Canton flannel for \$1.00.—  
All-wool Flannels, Blankets and Repel-  
lants, at extremely low prices, at  
Oct 16 dft

Domestic Paper Fashions, the best  
patterns in America, sold at M. Gold-  
burg's. Catalogues free.  
May 3 dwt

Coal \$2.50 per Ton.—Want further  
notice we will sell our celebrated  
Howell Coal for cash, at \$2.50 per ton,  
by the single ton or carload, delivered  
in any part of the city. Orders left at  
the "Western Coal Yard," on North  
Water street, will be promptly filled.  
WESTERN COAL & MINING CO.  
Oct. 23-dit

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